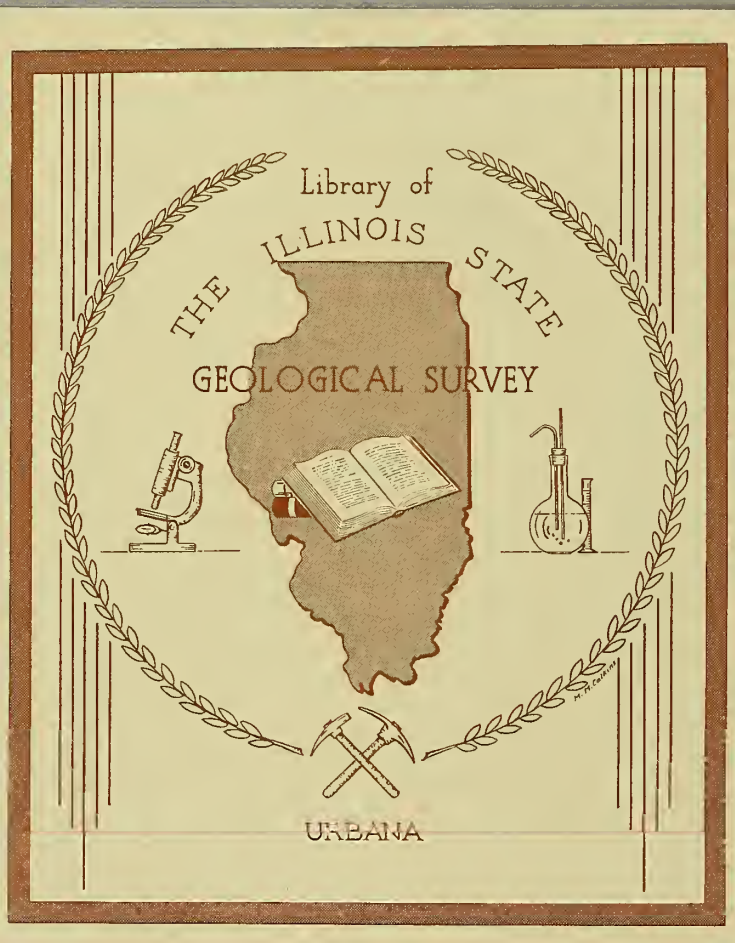

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DISPLAY OF PROMISING INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR BUILDING STONES OF NORTHERN AND WESTERN ILLINOIS

In keeping with its policy of disseminating information on the mineral resources of the State, the Illinois Geological Survey announces that on Monday, April 23, and for the following month, it will place on exhibit in its offices, 305 Ceramics Building, 107 South Goodwin Avenue, Urbana, Illinois, a recently completed representative collection of polished, waxed, or honed slabs of building stones of northern and western Illinois, particularly from the vicinity of Chicago, LaSalle, Rockford, Fulton, Galena, Alton, Quincy, and Calhoun County.

The specimens have been obtained from deposits that have not been developed for building stone and have not been previously known to have the possibilities now revealed. The display includes attractive varieties of brown, tan, or buff mottled dolomite of varied texture and cellular structure, some of it resembling travertine; monotone buff stone; marble breccia; decorative travertine (coralline dolomite); and limestones of interesting color and texture.

Information regarding the deposits sampled can be obtained at the State Geological Survey offices.

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